

# Please note this was sent to publication as of July 22nd, 2024

# **OFFICE CLOSURE:**

The Township Office will be closed on Monday, August 5, 2024 in observance of the Civic Holiday in Ontario.

# **COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE:**

Please note all meetings are hybrid, which means they are open to the public within Council Chamber and virtually via zoom. All regular meetings will begin at 9:30am.

- Thursday, August 15, 2024 Regular Council Meeting
  - Ward System Status, Council decision-making will impact all HBM residents
  - Budget 2025 Survey Results

Meeting dates are subject to change, please visit the Township website https://events.hbmtwp.ca/council for more information.

# PARKS, RECREATION & FACILITIES:

- Pickleball \$5/person
  - Tues 6pm 8pm, Wed/Thurs 10am 12pm
- Basketball \$5/person
  - Tues 10am 12pm, Wed/Thurs 1pm 3pm

Please note that August 27, 28, and 29th will be the last of the indoor scheduled sports. The arena ice plant is scheduled to fire up on September 1st.

# SAFE SEPTIC SYSTEM PERMITTING AND INSPECTION PROCESS:

Changes are coming to the enforcement, permitting and inspection process for onsite sewage systems for Havelock-Belmont-Methuen. After November 17, 2024, Peterborough Public Health (PPH) will no longer oversee the delivery of these services as they will be moved over to local municipalities. More information will be available both on the Township website www.hbmtwp.ca and at the Township office, in the near future, which will include revisions to the Building By-law and Fees to include those fees related to septic permits as well as the permitting and inspection process for septic systems.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

#### SUMMERFEST - Saturday, August 3, 2024

Havelock Lions Summerfest is on Saturday, August 3rd from 12-4 pm. It's a FREE festival with LOADS of fun, family-friendly activities, games, live music and entertainers, and so much more. Held at the HBM Community Centre and Havelock-Belmont Public School grounds. HBM Township is proud to sponsor and support this event.

#### SOAP BOX DERBY - Saturday, August 24, 2024

The Soap Box Derby is back! The HBM Youth Committee will be hosting a Soap Box Derby on Saturday, August 24th from 10am – 2pm at the intersection of Mathison and Oak Streets. There will be a BBQ fundraiser, cub car loop d' loop set-up in the Town Hall, music, and more. For more information, visit the HBM Youth Committee Facebook page.

# **AON STATION PLACE LTC UPDATE:**

The AON Station Place Long-term Care (LTC) building construction is guickly taking shape.

#### **East and West Wing Structure:**

- Shells are substantially complete including foundations, framing, firewalls, and stair cores.
- Windows and insulation, shingle roofing, as well as underground plumbing is complete.
- Fire separations, HVAC, electrical, and plumbing in progress.

#### Centre Core Structure:

- Foundations and poured slab, as well as underground plumbing are complete.
- · Elevator core is nearly complete
- Steel structure and wood frame floors are in progress.
- Fire walls, adjacent east and west wings are nearly complete.

Our thanks to John Blakely for the use of the aerial photos, and to AON Long-Term Care for permitting this building progress update with approved photos.



